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Warsaw, March 12.

THe Dyet proceeds very slowly in the Dispatch of the publick Affairs, which made the King some days agone send the Bishop of *Culm* to them, to remonstrate to them the great prejudice which the whole Kingdom may suttain by their consuming their time so fruitlesly, and to press them to bring the matters they have in debate to a speedy Conclusion; and because the term of six Weeks, which is the whole time the Dyet ought to sit, is ready to expire, his Majesty did exhort them to agree to a Prolongation of it. In return to this Message the Deputies ordered their Mareschal or Speaker to present their humble Thanks to the King, for the great care he has of the publick Welfare; but entring upon the consideration of Prolonging the time for the sitting of the Dyet, they fell into great Contests; however at last it was agreed, That the Dyet should be continued till the 20th Instant. Count *Wallastin*, the Emperor's Ambassador, has daily Conferences with the Ministers here, and the League he Negotiates is lookt upon to be as good as concluded.

Stockholm, March 14. The Preparations which the Danes are making, both by Sea and Land, do give this Crown a great deal of Jealousie. The Admiral, and other Sea Commanders, are gone down to the Fleet, and the Seamen are every where pressed into the King's Service; and it's said here, That in case there be occasion for it, the States General of the *United Provinces* will joyn a Squadron of Ships with those of this Crown, to favour the Transportation of the Troops our King purposes to send to *Pomeren* and *Bremen*.

Venice, March 18. The Merchants here are very much concerned at the News they have from *Constantinople*, That three or four Venetian Ships that were ready to Sail, had been forced to unlade again, in order to their serving for the transporting the Ottoman Troops from *Cairo*, which will be of great Prejudice to their Trade. This State is fitting out three new Galleys, and three Men of War are Building in the *Arsenal*, which, as soon as finished, will be likewise fitted out to Sea. From *Rome* we have advice, That the Count *de Martenits*, the Emperor's Envoy, was upon his departure from thence, very well satisfied with the Success he has had in his Negotiation at that Court.

Vienna, March 21. This Court is very much pleased with the account they have received from the Imperial Ambassador at *Warsaw*, of the disposition he has found the King of *Poland* and the whole Dyet in, to assist his Imperial Majesty against the Turks, for that the Poles will be able to give the Grand-Signior a great diversion. The Letters we receive from *Hungary* tell us the Ottoman Troops are on their March towards *Belgrade*, near which place will be held their General Rendezvous, and that the Grand Vizier is expected there about the latter end of the next Month. It is reported, That the Emperor, after he has seen his Troops at their Rendezvous on the Frontiers of *Hungary*, will remove with the whole Court to *Lintz*. His Imperial Majesty has written to the Duke of *Lorrain*, to desire him to repair hither, to assist at the Councils of War that are held here for the ordering things with relation to the War, in which his Highness is to have so great a part, being, as we are assured, to Command the Imperial Armies that shall be employed against the Turks.

Francfort, April 2. The States of *Franconia* are assembled at *Nuremberg*, and the Count *de Hohenloe*, the Emperor's Commissioner, is arrived there, and in our next we may be able to tell you what Resolutions they have taken. The Prince of *Waldeck* is gone to *Munick*, to Confer with the Elector of *Bavaria*. The Circle of *Swabia* is it's said, going to enter into the League, which the Circles of the upper *Rhine* and *Franconia* lately made with the Emperor.

Cologne, April 4. From *Ratisbonne* they write, That the Sieur *Straetman* was expected there on Monday last from *Vienna*, and that it was hoped that he came instructed to offer some expedient for the reconciling the difference between the two Colledges, that so the Negotiation may be entred upon with the Count *de Crecy* for the establishing a firm Peace between the Empire and the Crown of *France*. From *Francfort* we have an account, That the Count *de Hohenloe* was arrived at *Nuremberg*, and had represented to the States of *Franconia* that are assembled there, That the Endeavours which his Imperial Majesty had used to Prolong the Peace with the Turks, having been wholly fruitless, he was now preparing for the War; That he had made a League with the Crown of *Poland*, and was assured of a considerable Supply of Money from time to time from the Pope, and that with these Assistances, and the Divine Protection, his Imperial Majesty doubted not but to prosecute the War with Honour, without needing the assistance of the Empire. Our Letters from *Munick* inform us, That they were expecting there Prince *Waldeck*, General of the Forces of the Empire, the Elector of *Bavaria* having desired he would come thither, that he might consult with him about making a Regulation for the Troops which the Circle of *Bavaria*, and that of *Swabia*, are to furnish for their *Quota* of the Army of the Empire;